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Depository Library Council Fall Meeting Held in Alexandria, Virginia

Meeting in historic Old Town, Alexandria, Virginia, on October 15-17, were members of the Depository Library Council to the Public Printer. In attendance were documents librarians from all parts of the United States, along with John J. Boyle (Public Printer), Carl A. LaBarre (Superintendent of Documents), William J. Barrett, Deputy Assistant Public Printer (Superintendent of Documents), John D. Livsey (Director, Library and Statutory Distribution Service), Government Printing Office staff members, and representatives of the Joint Committee on Printing.

Opening remarks were made by Mr. Boyle, who noted "At the close of fiscal year 1979, we had 1,329 depository libraries in the system; 101 were designated in fiscal 1979, and 80 of those designations are law school libraries made possible by the enactment of Public Law 95-261."

Mr. Boyle went on to stress the need for librarians to be vigilant in maintaining free public access to documents in depository libraries. He also mentioned the increased interest of television news media in GPO's distribution of documents to 253 foreign libraries carried on at the request of Library of Congress.

Carl A. LaBarre reviewed recent progress at GPO. In the sales area the use of credit cards (Visa and Master Charge) has made purchases easier and entailed fewer problems with check processing. A task force of GPO and LSCIS personnel is exploring cooperative efforts between the two agencies. A study is underway to standardize bibliographic information and provide access to each other's data base,

A study has been completed on the cost of regional depository library service in the State of Washington. Commenting on this, Mr. LaBarre said: "The study was prepared by Ann Bregent and I commend her for an excellent piece of work. The bottom line of the study reveals that it takes \$50,000 a year to be a regional depository library above the normal costs of being a 65% selective depository."

Mr. LaBarre and Mr. Barrett jointly reported on GPO's response to each of the 36 resolutions passed at the Depository Library Council's April meeting. A separate report of these is being sent to all depositories.

Following this presentation was a report given by Jan Erickson, LSDS Systems Analyst, on the automation program. The three phases of this are the Depository Distribution and Information System (DDIS), the Cataloging System (CATS), and the Acquisition

and Classification System (ACS). The first two are being carried on simultaneously and will be followed by the third. Concluding her remarks, Ms. Erickson noted: "I would like to say that I think we have made a lot of progress during the last year; and I think the next few years will be a very exciting time for us here at GPO; and you, as documents librarians, will begin to see some of the results."

Robert J. Barnes, LSDS Micropublishing Specialist, provided the following statistics for Council members and librarians: "The Library and Statutory Distribution Service has completed the second year of the Micropublishing Program for the Depository Library System. Our first year, we made 378 shipments, converted 4,045 titles, and distributed 2,254,377 fiche.

"In our second year, we made 812 shipments, converted 20,598 titles, and distributed 5,717,205 Diazo duplicates.



WELCOME NEW COUNCIL MEMBERS! The Superintendent of Documents extends a GPO greeting to incoming members of the Depository Library Council to the Public Printer. Left to right: Ms. Barbara Weaver, Ms. Pat Sloan, Ms. Judy Myers, and Mr. Carl A. LaBarre. Not in photo are new members Ms. Edythe Moore and Ms. Roberta Scull.

Monthly Catalog Corner

We averaged 9 source document conversions per order, and submitted 442 orders the first year.

"1,053 source document conversion orders were placed the second year, averaging 20 documents. The increase in our overall output is attributed to the introduction of many new series authorized for conversion, and acquiring some estimated 12,000 non-GPO documents from other agencies within the last 14 months.

"The response and cooperation we have received from non-GPO publication officers concerning the needs of the micropublishing program have been great."

Speaking on the Cataloging and Classification work of GPO was Stuart Greenberg, Chief of the Classification and Cataloging Branch. He noted: "The topic of the KWIC Index in the *Monthly Catalog* has progressed from the discussion stage to the developmental level. Based upon the resolutions from the previous Council meeting and GORDORT, the Index is being constructed in the form of a permuted title to be integrated within the existing title index."

Speaking on the Depository Library Inspection Program for 1978-79, was Daniel R. MacGilvray, Depository Library Inspector. He reported that from October 1, 1978, through September 30, 1979, all inspections had utilized the new methods previously recommended by the Depository Library Council, and that 291 depositories had been so inspected. He further noted that in line with a Council resolution the program had been further strengthened in July with the addition of a third inspector.

Speaking on Depository Acquisitions was Norman N. Barbee, Library Administrator. He reported: "During the fiscal year 1979, the Library Division mailed 81 letters to Federal agencies, bureaus, and departments, requesting copies of specific titles of publications for distribution to the Federal Depository Libraries. We have received very

In anticipation of the search function of the SuDoc classification number being made available to OCLC users, the Classification & Cataloging Branch has begun a project to ensure that as many Federal documents records as possible contain classification numbers. This effort was begun during the first week of November. It entails inputting both current numbers and retrospective assignment of numbers published in *Monthly Catalog*.

Classification numbers currently assigned will be placed in the OCLC record at the time the document is cataloged and input. If an instance occurs where a record has been input prior to GPO cataloging, the classification number will be placed on that record.

Retrospective inputting of classification numbers was begun with the July 1976 issue of the *Monthly Catalog*. Each publication cited in that and in succeeding catalogs will be searched through OCLC. An agreement has been

good response to these letters.

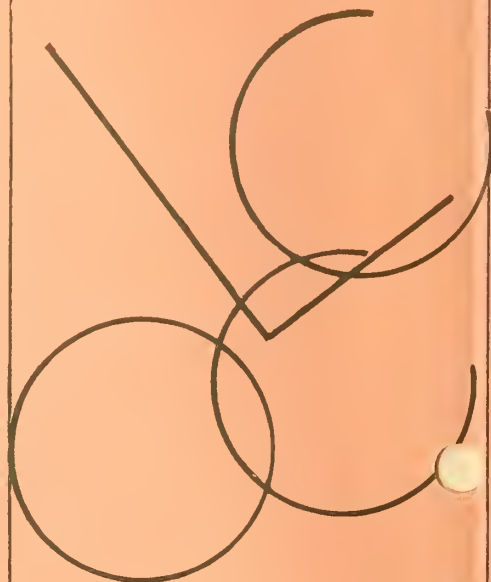
"We have made personal staff visits to 36 Federal agencies, including commissions, departments, bureaus, and offices. The purpose of these visits was to explain our needs and requirements under Title 44 of the Code for the *Monthly Catalog of United States Government Publications* and the Depository Library Program. Most of these agencies were very eager to learn about the *Monthly Catalog* and Depository Library Program."

The above remarks constitute only "highlights" from GPO's contribution to a very busy and most enjoyable Council meeting. An extensive coverage drawing on the contributions of all participants is being sent to depository libraries in the form of a summary by Council Secretary, Bardi Wolfe. Council will meet again in the Spring in St. Paul, Minnesota, at the Radisson St. Paul Hotel, with registration on Sunday, April 27th, and meetings on the 28th, 29th, and 30th.

reached with OCLC for the establishment of priorities for the records which will receive the classification number. The number will be assigned to the appropriate Library of Congress record, if there is one in the data base. The GPO record will be used if no LC record appears; and, in the event neither LC nor GPO has original cataloging in the data base, the oldest record in the system will be used. There may be a few exceptions to the above order of priorities, but they will be kept to a minimum. We shall also correct errant classification numbers as we find them in the system.

In conjunction with these new procedures, we would like to ask that libraries which have been sending us requests for inputting classification numbers continue to do so; but they should only be for records which have appeared in *Monthly Catalog* prior to the July 1976 issue. In those cases where a request is made for a new classification number, it should be accompanied by the publication so we can catalog and enter it into OCLC.

It is our hope that this effort will improve the quality of classification numbers in OCLC and thereby enhance the retrievability of the search function.





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Document Review

[HIGHLIGHTS welcomes short reviews by depository librarians of significant recent documents. Just send them typed double-spaced to the Editor. Our third such contribution is by Mr. Joseph J. Lewandowski, Documents & Maps Librarian, Elmer E. Rasmuson Library.]

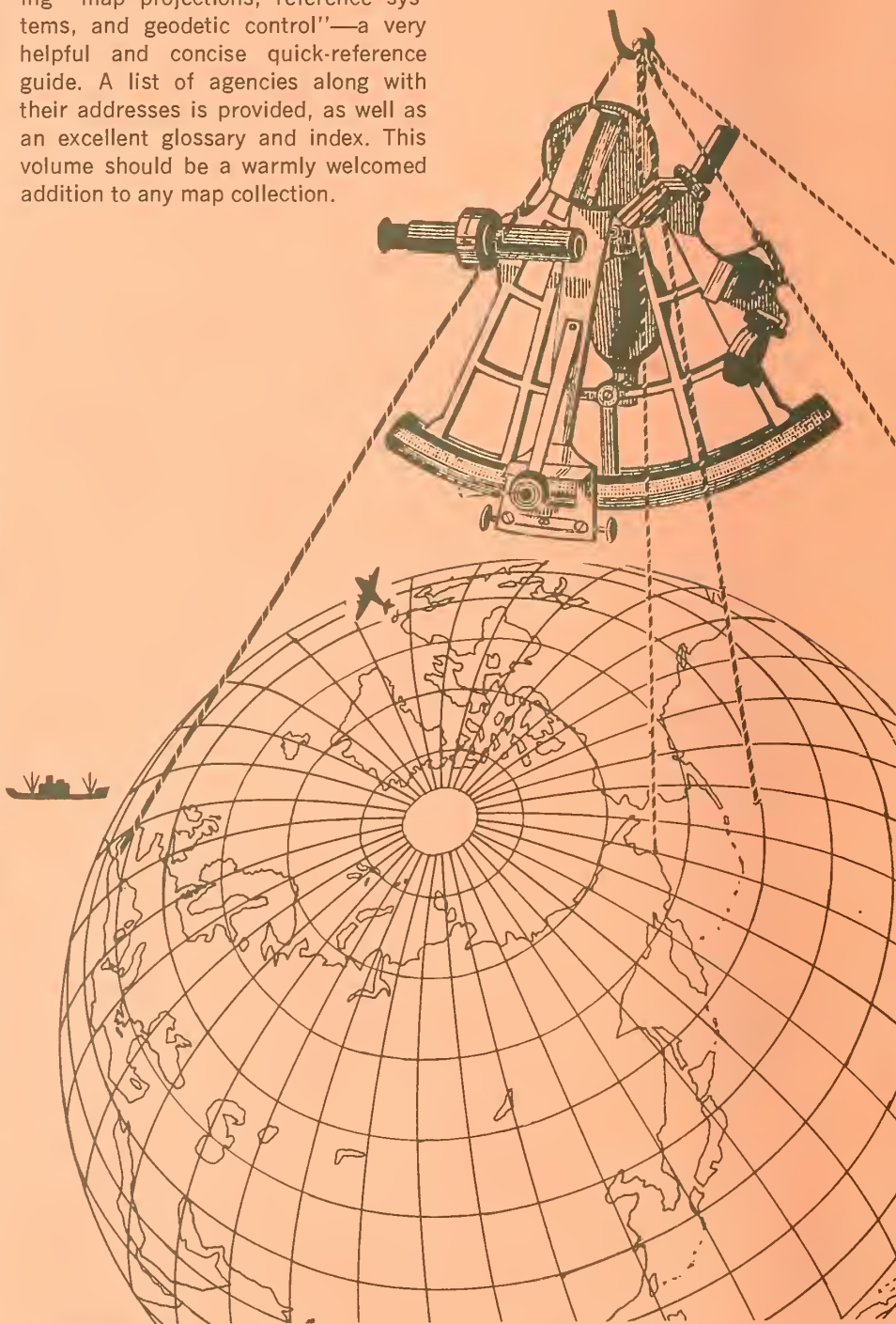
Maps for America: Cartographic Products of the U.S. Geological Survey and Others. By Morris M. Thompson. (Reston Virginia: Department of the Interior, Geological Survey, 1979.) Pp. xiv, 265. \$11.00. 19.2:M 32/12/879-979. (Available through GPO Bookstores, Stock Number 024-001-03145-1.)

The appearance of this compendium recently published by the Geological Survey is a treasure-trove to all who may find an interest in maps. A well compiled work from various sources, this volume can be used as a ready reference tool, providing information to many a general map question. As stated by the author, "the primary objectives are to inform the map user of (1) the meaning of lines, colors, images, symbols, numbers, captions, and notes that appear on maps, (2) the possible errors and anomalies affecting the reliability and interpretation of maps, (3) the different kinds of maps and map data, and (4) the various sources of maps and related information."

This work begins by describing the history of maps and cartography in America from the United States Survey of the Coast to the present National Mapping Program. One section deals with the different types of maps, such as topographic, thematic, etc. Great detail is given to the interpretation of United States Geological Survey topographic maps—information that is essential to map use. Cartographic information sources are also briefly discussed, along with the products that they provide. The final section on future trends in cartography offers some reflection upon the impact that technology may have on the physical ap-

pearance of forthcoming maps (e.g.: photoimage and computer-processed maps).

The text is lavishly illustrated with an abundance of colored maps and charts. There is an appendix containing "map projections, reference systems, and geodetic control"—a very helpful and concise quick-reference guide. A list of agencies along with their addresses is provided, as well as an excellent glossary and index. This volume should be a warmly welcomed addition to any map collection.



ANSWERS TO THE HIGHLIGHTS QUESTIONNAIRE

238 completed questionnaires were returned to the editor of *Public Documents Highlights* by the end of November. Results are presented below and will be taken into consideration during 1980.

A selection of responses to questions J, K, and M, are included. Many thanks to all readers who took the time to fill out yet another questionnaire!

A. Would you favor a separate publication of the "Needs/Offers" section?

107 (1) No 126 (2) Yes

B. If "Needs/Offers" were a separate publication would you prefer to receive it?

67 (1) 12 times a year

77 (2) 6 times a year

70 (3) 4 times a year

C. If HIGHLIGHTS were separated from "Needs/Offers" would you prefer to receive it?

136 (1) 12 times a year

84 (2) 6 times a year

2 (3) 4 times a year

D. Is the current fold-out format satisfactory to you?

102 (1) No 126 (2) Yes

E. If the fold-out format were changed, would you prefer

3 (1) loose-leaf pages without holes

126 (2) loose-leaf pages with holes

89 (3) stapled centerfold

7 (4) something else "stapled centerfold with holes"

F. If the format used holes suitable for a binder, would you prefer

224 (1) standard three hole punch (same as Federal Depository binder)

2 (2) something else "not described"

G. Currently, does your library keep back issues of HIGHLIGHTS in a

51 (1) binder

61 (2) file folder

65 (3) box

19 (4) vertical file

40 (5) Other "usually on shelf"

H. Please estimate how many people in your library regularly read HIGHLIGHTS.

475 (1) librarians

1 (4) volunteers

195 (2) non-librarian staff

21 (5) directors

55 (3) student workers

37 (6) general public

I. Please rate the following features of HIGHLIGHTS in terms of usefulness to your library.

	POOR	FAIR	GOOD	VERY GOOD	EXCELLENT
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(4) Document Review	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 12	<input type="checkbox"/> 80	<input type="checkbox"/> 84	<input type="checkbox"/> 30
(5) Our Best Effort	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 28	<input type="checkbox"/> 87	<input type="checkbox"/> 56	<input type="checkbox"/> 17
(6) Special Needs	<input type="checkbox"/> 11	<input type="checkbox"/> 27	<input type="checkbox"/> 84	<input type="checkbox"/> 50	<input type="checkbox"/> 44

J. Are there any new features that you would like to see added to HIGHLIGHTS?

110 (1) No 71 (2) Yes

More information on how processing is accomplished at GPO; features on staff at GPO.

—Wilmington, Delaware

Short paragraphs about new sub-agencies of U.S. Government as they are established.

—Lexington, Kentucky

I have always liked features such as "50 Years Ago at GPO," or some historical thumbnail sketch relating to documents.

—Baton Rouge, Louisiana

"Micropublishing News" should be a regular feature.

—Brunswick, Maine

News concerning Congressional legislative action affecting GPO and depository libraries.

—East Brunswick, New Jersey

A regular column from the Superintendent of Documents.

Plattsburgh, New York

How about an annual index?

—East Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania

K. Are there any subjects which you would like to have given greater emphasis in HIGHLIGHTS?

116 (1) No 73 (2) Yes

Progress stories on the revision of Title 44.

—Santa Barbara, California

More space given to Needs/Offers possibly allowing for the printing of entire discard lists.

—Pineville, Louisiana

Inside workings of GPO such as was done with the "Joker Box."

—Lansing, Michigan

Statistics on the depository program, such as those given on number of shipments and number of documents distributed are essential in explaining our needs to administrators.

—Ypsilanti, Michigan

The more info the better. We out in the boonies are hungry for all the scraps we can get.

—St. Paul, Minnesota

Continuing information on the GPO micropublishing program.

—Reno, Nevada

This is of course a parochial interest, but we would welcome more news regarding the newly designated law libraries.

—Seattle, Washington

L. Are there any people connected with your depository who would be willing to contribute articles to HIGHLIGHTS?

118 (1) No 68 (2) Yes

M. Is there anything else you would like to say about HIGHLIGHTS?

73 (1) No 119 (2) Yes

I like the way it is. It is brief and to the point. So much material crosses my desk that I appreciate something I can read and get the gist of quickly. I also appreciate the occasional humor in it.

—Lancaster, California

Well written, informative, good suggestions from time to time from libraries about handling documents. HIGHLIGHTS does what it purports to do, and that is rare these days!

—Sacramento, California

Very informative in keeping up with new developments in Federal depository library program. Please don't just fade away!

—Hilo, Hawaii

The lay-out, use of color and general format make HIGHLIGHTS a pleasure to read.

—Jacksonville, Illinois

Would like to see it printed on 8½" x 11" paper like the rest of the nation uses.

—Lincoln, Nebraska

HIGHLIGHTS makes GPO less an amorphous organization to depository libraries. We need it!

—Oswego, New York

I appreciate getting it—and have benefitted tremendously by having it—especially the "Offers" column.

—Casper, Wyoming

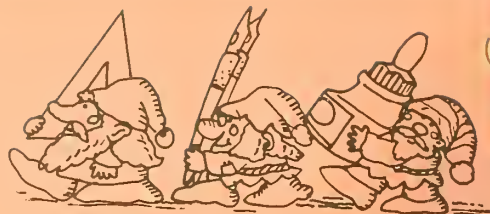
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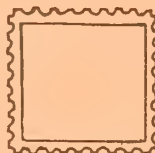
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Federal Probation, vol. 41, nos. 2-4; vol. 42, nos. 1-2.

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Plant Disease Reporter, vol. 61, no. 12.

Progressive Fish Culturist, 1942-46, 1976, July.

Public Health Reports, vol. 83; vol. 90, nos. 2, 4.

Public Roads, vol. 37, nos. 1-5; vol. 38, no. 4; vol. 39.

Quarterly Journal of the Library of Congress, vol. 21, no. 2.

Rehabilitation Record, vol. 14, no. 6.

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Our Best Effort!

[Two very welcome contributions follow. The first bears out an observation frequently made by Depository Library Inspectors. It very well answers the often asked question: "Where is the optimum placement for documents in a library?" The second contribution is the verbatim text of an imaginative announcement used in the Mabel Zoe Wilson Library. Keep these "Best Efforts" coming!]

"Surrounded by those items which are most important to implement research, the reference librarians at Florida Atlantic University Library can put forth their best efforts. To the left are the microforms; to the right are the documents; backing up the librarians is the reference collection; and facing the librarians is the card catalog.

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with the information he or she needs.

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